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15 August 1974

STATINTL MEMORANDUM FOR: [redacted]

SUBJECT : Murphy Commission

1. In line with your discussion at lunch today with Fisher Howe of the Commission, I have reviewed the attached request from Mr. Bacchus in an effort to find how we can be most helpful to him. As I understand your informal agreement with Mr. Howe, we will try to be as forthcoming as possible under the ground rules acceptable to State and CIA security. Moreover, it will not be necessary for any of Mr. Bacchus' research staff to have actual access to the documents or estimates to which they refer. They can instead simply be briefed from those documents as appropriate.

2. I have talked with the Office of Security, and they can endeavor to give Mr. Oldenburg (as well as Mr. George) their blessing for an operational SECRET clearance on a need-to-know basis with the same explicit understanding that they have with State Department, i.e., the use of such information will not include the citation of materials or individuals. For them to move forward on these two men, as well as on any others who come along, they ask that we give them a formal request and provide as much identifying data on the people as possible. They could probably clear both men within a few days, if we can start immediately. I have initiated the action and will advise Mr. Howe that we are taking such steps.

3. With particular reference to Mr. Oldenburg's request, I will discuss with the DDI Questions 3, 4 and 5 which you feel can and should be handled by DDI officers on a SECRET level and in a general, broad way. Question 2 is a matter for the Department of Defense, and I will prepare a note to Fisher from you to that effect. Since Question 1

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as of such sensitivity throughout this Agency, I will seek further judgments as you suggest from DDI and include comments to Fisher on this question as well. I will also be present as much as possible during any conversations with Murphy Staff people and ensure that the ground rules are precisely understood on a case-by-case basis.

4. I will, of course, follow your instructions to deal through the Deputy Directors and the Office heads and will not initiate any contacts without their clearance.

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August 7, 1974

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MEMORANDUM FOR: [redacted]
Intelligence Community Staff
Central Intelligence Agency

As you requested, I am providing information on our major research projects in progress, since some investigators working on these Studies may need to interview individuals in the Intelligence Community. You understand that these Studies, and therefore the interviews, are not related in any way to the Study Plan for the Intelligence Community about which we are separately in touch.

The projects are outlined in the State Department memoranda signed by William Galloway. The names included in the four memoranda have had a "name check" and have been granted a temporary SECRET clearance, unless they already hold a permanent clearance as indicated. The draft memorandum on the project on The Interaction of the United States and Foreign Economies will be sent by Galloway as soon as all name checks are completed. However, all those listed, except Edward Hamilton, Edward Skloot and Linda S. Graebner, have already been cleared.

Finally, a copy of the proposal for Alexander George's Study on Minimizing "Irrationality" in Foreign Policy-making is included for your use. As I mentioned to you, Professor George has a current RAND clearance through SECRET.

Thank you very much for your help.

Fisher Howe
Deputy Executive Director

Enclosures

P.S. William Bacchus is overseeing this project and he or I would want to assist further in any way we can in Tom Reckford's absence.

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